

United States Bankruptcy Court  
Middle District of Pennsylvania

In re:  
David Kimberly Berkau, Jr.  
Mary Elizabeth Berkau  
Debtors

Case No. 18-00598-RNO  
Chapter 7

**CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE**

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db David Kimberly Berkau, Jr., 648 Sunset Dr, Hanover, PA 17331-8434  
jdb Mary Elizabeth Berkau, 6674 Mid Summer Night Ct, Eldersburg, MD 21784-6258  
cr +Freedom Mortgage Corporation, 10500 Kincaid Drive, Fishers, IN 46037-9764  
5023968 B&T, 1345 Baltimore St, Hanover, PA 17331-4410  
5023965 Berkau David Kimberly Jr, 648 Sunset Dr, Hanover, PA 17331-8434  
5023966 Berkau Mary Elizabeth, 648 Sunset Dr, Hanover, PA 17331-8434  
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5023967 James P Sheppard Esquire, 2201 N 2nd St, Harrisburg, PA 17110-1007

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5023969 EDI: CAPITALONE.COM May 30 2018 22:53:00 Capital One Bank USA, PO Box 71083, Charlotte, NC 28272-1083  
5023971 E-mail/Text: bankruptcy@patriotfcu.org May 30 2018 18:58:12 Patriot Federal Credit Union, PO Box 778, Chambersburg, PA 17201-0778  
5023972 EDI: TFSR.COM May 30 2018 22:53:00 Toyota Financial, PO Box 5855, Carol Stream, IL 60197-5855

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NONE.

TOTAL: 0

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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jun 01, 2018

Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

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**CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING**

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on May 30, 2018 at the address(es) listed below:

James Warmbrodt on behalf of Creditor Toyota Motor Credit Corporation bkgroup@kmllawgroup.com  
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Steven M. Carr (Trustee) carrtrustee@yahoo.com, pa31@ecfcbis.com  
United States Trustee ustpregion03.ha.ecf@usdoj.gov

TOTAL: 6

**Information to identify the case:**

Debtor 1 **David Kimberly Berkau Jr.**  
First Name Middle Name Last Name  
Debtor 2 **Mary Elizabeth Berkau**  
(Spouse, if filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name

Social Security number or ITIN **xxx-xx-8901**  
EIN **-----**  
Social Security number or ITIN **xxx-xx-4343**  
EIN **-----**

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Case number: **1:18-bk-00598-RNO**

**Order of Discharge**

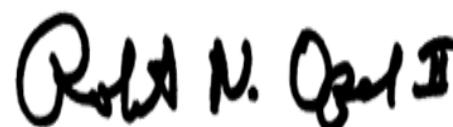
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**IT IS ORDERED:** A discharge under 11 U.S.C. § 727 is granted to:

David Kimberly Berkau Jr.  
aka David Berkau Jr., aka David K Berkau Jr.

Mary Elizabeth Berkau  
aka Mary E Berkau

**By the  
court:**



Honorable Robert N. Opel, II  
United States Bankruptcy Judge

By: DDunbar, Deputy Clerk

May 30, 2018

**Explanation of Bankruptcy Discharge in a Chapter 7 Case**

This order does not close or dismiss the case, and it does not determine how much money, if any, the trustee will pay creditors.

**Creditors cannot collect discharged debts**

This order means that no one may make any attempt to collect a discharged debt from the debtors personally. For example, creditors cannot sue, garnish wages, assert a deficiency, or otherwise try to collect from the debtors personally on discharged debts. Creditors cannot contact the debtors by mail, phone, or otherwise in any attempt to collect the debt personally. Creditors who violate this order can be required to pay debtors damages and attorney's fees.

However, a creditor with a lien may enforce a claim against the debtors' property subject to that lien unless the lien was avoided or eliminated. For example, a creditor may have the right to foreclose a home mortgage or repossess an automobile.

This order does not prevent debtors from paying any debt voluntarily or from paying reaffirmed debts according to the reaffirmation agreement. 11 U.S.C. § 524(c), (f).

**Most debts are discharged**

Most debts are covered by the discharge, but not all. Generally, a discharge removes the debtors' personal liability for debts owed before the debtors' bankruptcy case was filed.

Also, if this case began under a different chapter of the Bankruptcy Code and was later converted to chapter 7, debts owed before the conversion are discharged.

In a case involving community property: Special rules protect certain community property owned by the debtor's spouse, even if that spouse did not file a bankruptcy case.

**For more information, see page 2 >**

### **Some debts are not discharged**

Examples of debts that are not discharged are:

- ◆ debts that are domestic support obligations;
- ◆ debts for most student loans;
- ◆ debts for most taxes;
- ◆ debts that the bankruptcy court has decided or will decide are not discharged in this bankruptcy case;
- ◆ debts for most fines, penalties, forfeitures, or criminal restitution obligations;
- ◆ some debts which the debtors did not properly list;
- ◆ debts for certain types of loans owed to pension, profit sharing, stock bonus, or retirement plans; and
- ◆ debts for death or personal injury caused by operating a vehicle while intoxicated.

Also, debts covered by a valid reaffirmation agreement are not discharged.

In addition, this discharge does not stop creditors from collecting from anyone else who is also liable on the debt, such as an insurance company or a person who cosigned or guaranteed a loan.

**This information is only a general summary of the bankruptcy discharge; some exceptions exist. Because the law is complicated, you should consult an attorney to determine the exact effect of the discharge in this case.**